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SUBJECT: SYRIA: CIVAIR: EXEC JET AND AIRLINE PURCHASE

REF: DAMASCUS 1854 AND 1859

1. EXECUTIVE JET --- TRANSMITTED GEN JAMIL'S INTEREST IN MORE DETAILS TO OFFICE OF FUAD BARDAWIL, LOCAL CESSNA AGENT, AND TO PATERSON, NEW MAN LOCKHEED BEIRUT OFFICE AND ONLY ONE IN TOWN THIS WEEK. SINCE ONLY FALCON EXEC JET WE KNOW OF IS BUILT BY FRENCH FIRM DASSAULT WE HAVE DONE NOTHING RE FALCON; ADVISE IF WE SHOULD. PATERSON NOTED THAT CESSNA CITATION AND LOCKHEED'S JETSTAR ARE NOT COMPARABLE AIRCRAFT, INDICATING SYRIANS NOT CERTAIN WHAT THEY WANT AND THAT OPPORTUNITY MAY EXIST FOR OTHER US EXEC JET MAKERS. FOR WASHINGTON: SINCE CESSNA AGENT HERE IS A LOCAL PLEASE ENSURE THAT CONTENTS DAMASCUS 1854 ARE TRANSMITTED CESSNA US.

2. SYRIAN AIRLINES WIDE-BODIED PURCHASE --- GIST
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DAMASCUS 1859 ALSO PASSED PATERSON OF LOCKHEED.

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